



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Inventor : Vassil Iordanov Examiner : Hugh M. Jones
Customer No. : 22469 Docket No. : 2028068-0021
Title: : **METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING METACOGNITIVE
PROCESSING FOR SIMULATING COGNITIVE TASKS**

RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A Notice of Appeal was filed in this case on January 26, 2006. Applicant withdraws the Appeal and hereby files a Request for continued Examination. The present Response to the July 27, 2005 Office Action is provided as a submission.

In response to the Office Action dated July 27, 2005, please consider the Remarks along with Dr. Wayne Zachary's declaration under 37 CFR §1.132 submitted herewith. This Response is provided as a submission accompanying a Request for Continued Examination.

A Petition for Extension of Time for four months is filed herewith. A check in the amount of \$1,190 is enclosed. This amount includes the Extension of Time fee (\$795.00) and the Request for Examination Fee (\$395.00). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3405.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.